

Crawford County's Older Population

Social and Economic Characteristics

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	Crawford County		Wisconsin
Household Income (Householder Age 65+)		Percent	Percent
Income less than \$35,000	1,262	71.4%	65.2%
Income less than \$50,000	1,490	84.3%	80.4%

Persons 65+ with Incomes Below Poverty Level	Number	Percent	Percent
Below Poverty	241	9.6%	7.4%
Below 2.0 x Poverty	921	36.5%	29.6%

Median Income: Comparing Age Groups		Dollars	Dollars
Total (Householders of all ages)		\$34,135	\$43,791
Householder 65 to 74 years		\$27,964	\$31,328
Householder 75 years and over		\$17,625	\$21,046

Employment Status: Persons Age 65+	Number	Percent	Percent
Males Employed in Civilian Labor Force	239	20.3%	17.7%
Females Employed in Civilian Labor Force	237	15.2%	9.3%

Educational Attainment: Persons Age 65+	Number	Percent	Percent
65+; Less than 9th grade	635	23.2%	17.8%
65+; 9th to 12th grade; no diploma	480	17.5%	15.5%
65+; High school graduate (includes equivalency)	1,093	39.9%	38.2%
65+; Some college; no Bachelor's degree	281	10.3%	13.7%
65+, Bachelor's degree or more	249	9.1%	12.7%

Marital Status: Persons Age 65+	Number	Percent	Percent
Never married	95	3.5%	4.7%
Married	1,453	53.1%	52.9%
Separated	104	3.8%	5.2%
Widowed	944	34.5%	31.3%
Divorced	142	5.2%	5.9%
Males , 65 and over, married	805	68.4%	71.3%
Females , 65 and over, married	648	41.5%	39.9%

Disability Status, Persons Age 65+	Number	Percent	Percent
Persons 65 or older with any disability	929	36.9%	36.5%
With a sensory disability	296	11.7%	11.9%
With a physical disability	602	23.9%	24.1%
With a mental disability	208	8.3%	7.6%
With a self-care disability	202	8.0%	7.5%
With a go-outside-home disability	425	16.9%	17.7%
Age 65+, with disability and income below poverty level	105	11.3%	10.6%